

STATE OF TASMANIA.  
MONTHLY STATISTICS - JUNE-JULY, 1944.

RAILWAYS.

	<u>1943</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>1944</u>
	<u>June</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>
Gross Revenue	£ 62,001	76,168	75,799	74,896
Working costs, excl. Interest	£ 66,438	81,142	86,480	127,360
Train Miles run (inc. Rail Motor)	No. 187,247	174,292	188,625	179,771
Passenger Journeys	No. 342,840	257,970	256,373	291,229
Goods and Live Stock	Tons 84,108	73,831	78,592	86,118

ELECTRIC POWER. - Units generated by

	<u>1943</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>1944</u>
	<u>July</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>
Hydro-Electric Department	65,132,900	63,863,000	66,278,740
Other plants	6,376,207	6,067,241	4,989,875
Total units	71,509,107	69,930,241	71,268,615
Units supplied to Hobart Metropolitan area:	36,987,233	36,044,608	37,407,633
" " " Launceston & Suburbs:	4,133,680	4,004,944	4,101,651

EMPLOYMENT. Number of employees stated to be on the last payroll in the month of  
All employers making Payroll Tax Returns.

Particulars	<u>May, 1943.</u>			<u>May, 1944.</u>		
	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total
<u>Private Employers.</u>						
Primary Industries	1,153	179	1,332	1,272	182	1,454
Mining and Quarrying	2,600	32	2,632	2,733	39	2,772
Factories and Industrial	11,019	4,362	15,381	11,502	4,667	16,169
Building & Construction	879	24	903	784	25	809
Transport and Communication	2,496	100	2,596	2,256	137	2,393
Commerce and Finance	4,203	3,145	7,348	4,257	3,196	7,453
Other Industries	673	1,250	1,923	746	1,305	2,051
Total Private Employers	23,023	9,092	32,115	23,550	9,551	33,101
<u>Govt. &amp; Semi-Governmental:</u>						
Total Governmental	8,683	2,089	10,772	8,484	2,215	10,699
Grand Total All Returns:	31,706	11,181	42,887	32,034	11,766	43,800

REAL ESTATE STATISTICS.

	<u>1943</u>		<u>1944</u>		<u>1944</u>	
	<u>July</u>		<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>		
	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
Value of Land Transfers	193	102,126	238	94,111	225	120,175
" " Mortgages Registered	69	27,084	74	41,435	62	70,875
" " " Discharged	164	45,066	116	46,946	150	66,545
" " " partially discharged	6	1,180	16	936	7	382
<u>Registered under Deeds Act.</u>						
Value of Conveyances	94	63,083	94	74,802	97	81,899
" " Mortgages	40	22,117	43	38,474	47	64,197
" " Reconveyances	88	49,869	64	33,546	92	68,946

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS.

	<u>1943</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>1944</u>
	<u>July</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>
	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth Savings Bank	2,791,045	4,618,188	4,814,427	4,934,816
Trustee Savings Banks - Hobart, L'ton	6,889,658	9,244,814	9,399,236	9,530,911
	9,680,703	3,863,002	14,213,663	14,465,727

BANK CLEARINGS.

	<u>1943</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>1944</u>
	<u>July</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>
	£	£	£	£
Hobart	3,586,184	4,981,274	4,897,213	4,393,519
Launceston	1,533,626	2,729,578	2,155,901	2,044,984

BUTTER PRODUCTION.

	<u>1943</u>	<u>1943</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>1944</u>
	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>April</u>	<u>May</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>
Butter lb.	98,282	122,722	252,718	152,646	102,296	133,930

FINANCE. July 1943 and 1944.

Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Receipts		Payments	
July		July	
1943	1944	1943	1944
£136,651	£197,799	£204,653	£179,752
Excess of Receipts over Payments, month of July, 1944:		£18,047.	
"	" Payments " Receipts, " " "	1943: £68,002.	

MOTOR REGISTRATION. (Exclusive of Commonwealth-owned Vehicles of Civil and Defence Services) - July, 1944.

	Lorries etc.	Utilities	Motor Cycles	Cars and Other Vehicles
No. on Register at 1.7.1944	3,388	2,848	2,579	16,715
Lapsed Registrations	228	208	180	1,146
	3,160	2,640	2,399	15,569
Registrations - July, 1944.				
New Vehicles	33	-	-	2
Used Vehicles	194	190	140	1,013
No. on Register end July, 1944	3,387	2,830	2,539	16,584
No. on Register end July, 1943	3,033	2,519	2,452	15,942

RETAIL PRICES INDEX NUMBERS. Food and Groceries.

	(6 Capitals in 1923-27 as Base = 1000)		
	1943 July	1944 June	1944 July
Hobart	1,083	1,032	1,032
Launceston	1,040	988	989
Burnie	1,120	1,019	1,025
Devonport	1,081	1,020	1,019
Queenstown	1,161	1,138	1,138
Weighted Average 5 towns, Tasmania	1,074	1,021	1,022

COMMONWEALTH SALES TAX.

	Net Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods. £	Net Taxable Sales. £	Sales Tax Collected. £
1943. July	1,094,621	262,330	42,755
1944. May	1,097,810	302,647	43,545
June	1,098,994	318,155	39,945
July	1,173,120	359,409	44,899

BUILDING PERMITS. August 1943 and 1944.

Month	New Buildings for Habitation		New Buildings for other purposes		Alterations & Additions		Totals	
	Permits No.	Contract Price £	Permits No.	Contract Price £	Permits No.	Contract Price £	Permits No.	Contract Price £
1944. August	1	700	6	355	14	2,220	21	3,275
1943. August	1	140	2	190	8	1,576	11	1,906

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